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OUR TORONTO LETTER

The Great Industrial Fair and the Display Thereat of British Columbia.

The Niggardly Policy of Our Government---A Grand Opportunity Lost.

[From our own Correspondent.]

The last ten days have been a very busy time here. The exhibition has already exceeded last year's returns very much and thousands of people are still present daily. The numbers of entries exceed any previous years and the exhibit of stock is also said to be better than on former occasions. Toronto exhibition has in it a novel feature. During the afternoon of each day they have an exhibition of dancing, national and other varieties, as well as rope walking, balloon ascensions, etc., during the evening fireworks and the siege of Sebastapol are exhibited, and are attractive features of the fair. The position of Toronto as a railroad centre favors it very much and people in Ontario look forward to it, the annual fair, as one of the great attractions of the year. As was the Provincial Fair of many years ago, so now is the Industrial Fair to the people of Ontario. The Provincial Fair is now, in a financial aspect, a failure, while our fair in Toronto is a grand success. I notice a good feature of the Toronto Exhibition is that the exhibits are not limited to Ontario only, but all the provinces are represented. By this means an opportunity is given to the various provinces to compete in their manufactures, as well as in natural products. I was pleased to notice that British Columbia is represented, though not to the extent I would like to see, nor do I think it does you justice. On enquiry I find that Vancouver is the only port of the province that has endeavored to show to the eastern provinces what you can produce. I found further that the management of the fair invited your Provincial Government to make a display in minerals and natural products, but it seems that your local government do not consider it a profitable undertaking. I can answer you that there is no better plan of inducing immigration and placing matters in a fair and just light before the public than by allowing the people to see for themselves without costing them a trip to your far off province. But it seems your representatives are of the class of "penny wise and pound foolish." Ex-Ald. Saunders, of this city, informs me that a cordial invitation was extended to the government and municipalities to take part, but none responded except the city of Vancouver. Too much credit cannot be given Mayor Oppenheimer for having such a display as is now shown, at the same time those who know say that much more could have been done, and they are somewhat astonished that the Government should have taken such a narrow-minded view as not to have been fit to have sent a full exhibit. The reverse is the case with Manitoba, showing they have made an excellent display in the products. So much interest is taken in their exhibit that Premier Greenway, of Manitoba, is here looking after the interests of his province. It is to be hoped that next year you will be able to induce your Government to reconsider their determination in this respect, and in future show to the other provinces what you are capable of doing. The weather now is becoming showery and wet, which makes it rather unpleasant for visitors. I have to thank Ald. Caldwell and Mr. Edwards, of Vancouver, for their kindness in showing me through and for the information given concerning British Columbia and probabilities.

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HARVEST THANKSGIVING.

Christ Church Cathedral Services—Sermon by Rev. Mr. Clinton.

The Harvest Thanksgiving services in Christ Church Cathedral last evening were a complete success. The appearance of the church, decorated with skilled taste, as described in THE TIMES of yesterday, showed to perfection under gas light. The commodious edifice was crowded to excess, not a vacant seat being observable. The attendance of ladies predominated in a most marked degree. The services commenced with the rendering of the processional hymn, the choir entering by the north door and marching up the aisle singing, in which the congregation joined heartily. The effect of the white-robed procession was most impressive and tended to draw one's thoughts away from earthly cares, joys, hopes and sorrows. The services were full choral, and rendered with great effect by the very efficient choir, under the able leadership of Mr. H. Kent, who, in the singing of the anthem, wielded the baton in true professional style. The choir was largely augmented by the addition of several voices from other churches.

The services being concluded, the large congregation assembled was addressed by the Rev. H. Fiennes Clinton, who preached a most eloquent and impressive sermon, entirely in the language of the people, so clear and simple that the tiniest child present could understand. Taking for his text the 11th verse, 65th psalm: "Thou Crownest the Year with Thy Goodness," he said that the great giver of all good encircled the earth the past year in all the plentitude of His goodness, and the present assembly was for thanksgiving for all the blessings and mercies of the year. We were not only assembled to give thanks for ourselves individually, but also for others, and to render as an offering unto the Lord God of the first fruits of the earth. In our own country the harvest has been bountiful, and besides being thankful for plentitude of food and health, we had cause also to be thankful for the great blessings of peace throughout the world. War clouds had threatened that peace, but through the intervention of Divine mercy, they had been dispersed. Besides being thankful for peace and plenty, we should also feel thankful for the sinners brought back to God; many stray sheep had been brought back to the fold. The great Anglican, Catholic and Apostolic Church had been blessed with marked favors during the past year. The shepherds of that true church had assembled from all over the earth, of different races, color and tongue; and the gathering of 145 Bishops at Lambeth was a circumstance which never occurred before, and proved the universality of that church, which pointed out clearly by its teachings, the shortest and best road to the Eternal Kingdom. The Bishops in conclave assembled passed a resolution which had been already made known. Drunkenness and intemperance had been denounced by them. We cannot only be intemperate regarding drink, but also in regard to eating, and we should endeavor to be temperate in all things. Impurity also had received attention. Impurity was widely spread throughout the world, but in a more marked degree here on the Pacific coast where it was brought beneath our gaze in most glaring form. Society, especially women, should taboo the men who patronized impurity, the same as they did their erring, fallen sisters. We should live pure in action, word, and thought and not indulge in lustful thoughts by reading the unchristian books and papers sown broadcast throughout the land. Avaricious men there were in the world; "the love of money was the root of all evil." We had rich men who ground down their employees to the very lowest, and drove them to despair, compelling them to resort to drunkenness and vice. We had the "sweating system" in London, which ground down the working classes to a hair-breadth of starvation. We had here also on the Pacific coast avaricious men who ground the last cent out in many ways. The wheat and the grapes were emblematic of our communion which many neglected. Christ said, when he broke bread and gave it to his disciples, "this is my body," and when he had given thanks, took the cup and blessed it, saying "this is my blood, unless ye eat of my flesh and drink of my blood ye shall not see eternal life." Those that live in Christ here on earth will live with him in eternal life, not the short span allotted to us of four-score years at most, but for eternity. While thanking the Lord for all his goodness and mercy during the past year we should do so in sincerity, and pray to Him to be strengthened in our resolutions to live more in Him during the coming than we did in the past year. Exhorting his hearers to a better life here on earth, with hopes of joining the everlasting throng in the better life hereafter, the Rev. gentleman brought his impressive discourse to a close.

The Benediction being pronounced the service concluded with the effective rendering of the "Seven Fold Amen," by the choir. The services will be repeated next Sunday evening.

TRY BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The Advice Given by a Canadian in California.

A young Nova Scotian writes to the *Canadian American* as follows: "I am a Nova Scotian by birth, from Cornwallis, King's county, and have been in the United States several years, the last five months in California. I would earnestly request you to inform the young men of Canada not to come here unless they are men of money and wish to invest; and even then I doubt not Canada offers many advantages superior to even the chances for good investments in this country. There are many young men here, and many coming, who would only be too glad to get back to Canada into the positions they left. Canada has finer fruits and a much healthier climate, and I hope you will exert yourself to prevent young Canadians from coming here. I am pained almost every day by meeting young Canadians in distress. I would say that we have an immigration society here which is run in the interest of railroads, etc., and Canada is flooded with literature, and it is doing much harm by inducing Canadians to come to California. Where one succeeds twenty fail. The only real advantage that California has for a poor man is the climate, but as to fertility, fruits, vegetables and healthiness, Canada is far ahead. It has more fertile land, better forests, and raises fruit that would put California to shame. If the young Canadian must emigrate let him try British Columbia if he wishes to settle on the coast. He will find there better laws and more congenial neighbors.—JOHN L. KILLOUGH, San Francisco, Cal.

THE AUDIT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Whatever may be the result of the present investigation of the city finances, nothing can be gained by resorting to methods unbecoming the dignity of fairness or honesty of purpose. No man of honor desires to shield wrong doings or smirch character. Innuendoes are the croppings of personal malignity, undeserving of consideration. To convict on evidence that may not be reliable becomes criminal from the fact that there is always two sides to any question; hence, it is unjust for any person or persons endeavoring to force impressions contrary to life-long standing of men now accused, but unconvicted, of grave charges. To candid minds, imbued with a proper spirit of fairness, the auditors' report must be looked on as an *ex parte* affair. What motives prompted the majority of the aldermanic Council to rush one-sided into print? What motives caused the auditors' inbors to spread broadcast over the city? What motives carried a sick man to the Council chambers? must be left to the more discerning. "Time may produce the cloven foot." That the welfare of this community alone guided such misconceived actions by the majority of the aldermanic body should be swallowed with a grain of salt. If these figures prove hyperbole, what have those so treacherously stabbed in the shape of redress? The majority in their aldermanic might already have placed the city in a false position in the Hendry affair. Why should they, the majority of the aldermanic Council, over-ride every commonsense law, and not be made to pay the expenses of their lack of wisdom? Every dollar incurred in refusing the lawful claim of Mr. Hendry they should be made to pay, and not the rate-payers. They should by all means pay the bill. The course pursued by the auditors appears to assume the same shape, namely; "Might usurping the justness of Right." In the hope that the citizens may awake to a proper understanding of their needs; that the present may learn them in the future about the selection of capable and able representatives; that minds requiring extraneous or doubtful influences to govern and guide, may never be permitted to enjoy the privileges of sitting in the aldermanic chamber; that for the benefit of our fair city the report of the auditors may be properly and satisfactorily explained by those in charge of the city's funds, and that the standard of Truth and Right may at all times be the rule governing the unenvied majority that now fills aldermanic chairs in the City Council. I am,

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STARVING INDIANS.

They May Have to Eat One Another--Wiggins Again Heard From.

Judge Haines of Seattle Arrested--Fires and Accidents--Foreign Politics

Winnipeg, Sept. 28—A terrible tale of starvation and destitution among the Indians comes from the Athabaska and Peace River country in the form of a petition to the Minister of the Interior for Canada. It is signed by the Anglican Bishop of that diocese, six clergymen missionaries and several justices of the peace. The document sets out that owing to the great mortality among beavers and other small game the Indians for nearly a year have been in a perpetual state of starvation. Their food supply and power of procuring clothing has been affected. They are now in a complete state of destitution, and unable to provide themselves with clothing, ammunition, etc., for winter. Many of their dogs, so necessary to Indians for travelling and hunting, have perished, thus seriously increasing the difficulty of getting a living. During the winter of 1886-87 on account of starvation, and consequent cannibalism, a party of 29 Cree Indians was reduced to three. In the Mackenzie River District several deaths by starvation and one or more cases of cannibalism occurred last winter, and among the Fort Chippewayan Indians between twenty and thirty starved to death, and many women and children are now perfectly helpless and must starve to death or eat each other this winter unless help comes.

LARGE MILL BURNED.

Butte, Montana, Sept. 28—The Margaret Ann mill at Walkerville, two miles from here, was burned to the ground last night. No water could be procured. Loss $25,000; uninsured.

RE-NOMINATED.

Philadelphia, Sept. 28—Congressman Samuel J. Randall has been unanimously renominated by the Democrats of the Third District.

SMALL-POX IN BUFFALO.

Buffalo, Sept. 28—The smallpox is spreading in the Polish quarters, four new cases having been discovered to-day. The disease has also broken out in the aristocratic portion of the city.

INJURED AND BURNED.

Cronstadt, Sept. 28.—A lofty wooden tenement filled with people was burned to-day. The staircase way was destroyed before the inmates could escape. Many leaped into the street and were mortally injured by falling on stones. Sixteen people were burned to death in the house.

A STEAMER'S ROUGH ride.

Queenstown, Sept. 28.—The steamer City of New York arrived to-day, passage 7 days and 2 hours. Her circulating pumps were defective and she was only able to use her starboard engine for days. She met continuous gales during which two passengers were thrown on the deck and had their ribs broken. The passengers were greatly frightened, one went insane and had to be put in a straight jacket.

WHEAT INCREASING.

Chicago, Sept. 28—Yesterday's scenes in the wheat pit were re-enacted to-day, and the upward movement in September wheat was maintained. It opened at 125 and rapidly advanced and at 1 o'clock two sold at 149½.

ANOTHER BIG FACTORY BURNS.

Chicago, Sept. 28—The furniture factory of Wilkinson & Co. was burned this morning. Two bodies of employees have been removed from the ruins. It is believed three more are still in the ruins. Complete loss, $250,000.

THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ottawa, Sept. 28—Professor Wiggins in being interviewed last night said the cause of the yellow fever in the south was purely astronomical. On June 19th, 1881, he said the planets were in the same line and the earth had yielded to a tendency to approach the sun then cyclones, earthquakes, floods, cholera and yellow fever had devastated our planet. The advance had been only a few miles but increased the solar attraction and contracted the earth's surface causing floods. The unequal shrinkage caused the earthquakes, the atmosphere had become denser and consequently held more carbon, and its compounds in solution producing microbes and thus cholera and yellow fever.

THE YELLOW FEVER DECREASING.

Jacksonville, Sept. 28.—News from Fernandia and other points indicates no alarming increase in the disease. Frank Ponsax, Democratic candidate for state treasurer, his wife and child, arrived sick at Sanderson. The fever is not increasing rapidly. Gainesville is almost considered clear again. Southern towns report a brighter outlook.

SUNK AND ABANDONED.

San Francisco, Sept. 28—A dispatch to the Merchants' Exchange this morning says that the British ship Earl Wemyss, hence for Queenstown, which was in collision off Pernambuco with the British ship Ardenesple from Liverpool for this port, has sunk. The Ardenesple filled with water and has been abandoned.

STEEL RAIL COMBINE.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 28.—Information has reached here of the formation of an international steel rail pool. The combine was consummated at Glasgow and includes England and the continent. Carnegie who was present promised cooperation on the part of the American combine in an endeavor to advance and maintain prices.

HEAVY FIRING.

London, Sept. 28—Advices from Suakim state there was heavy firing between rebels and the British until midnight. Deserters report that the rebels suffered severely, one shell killing seventeen.

A CLOUD BURSTS.

New Bedford, Mass., Sept. 28—A cloud burst here last night and washed great ditches in the streets and undermined many buildings.

THE WOUNDED REPUBLICANS.

San Francisco, Sept. 28—The physicians attending Antoine Christianson, Martin Kelly and Wm. Hannington, who were shot in last night's affray at the rooms of the Republican committee state this morning that there is no hope for Christianson, that his death is only a question of a few hours. Kelly and Hannington are much improved and will be able to be around in a few days.

COLD WEATHER.

Washington, Sept. 28—Freezing weather is reported in northern Minnesota and killing frost from southern portions of Michigan, Wisconsin and light frosts in the northwest and as far south as Southern Missouri.

DISAGREEMENTS.

London, Sept. 27—Despite the conciliatory speech which Davitt made last night, the friction between himself and the Irish members of parliament continues. The latter are especially irritated at Davitt's contemptuous allusions to Mr. Healy. The *Freeman's Journal* contained a severe editorial on Davitt, which it is believed was written by Healy himself. Meanwhile a fresh squabble has arisen between Frank Hugh O'Donnell and Parnell, as to whether the latter accused the former of collusion with the *Times*, in the late *Times* O'Donnell libel suit. Mr. O'Donnell wants to sue Parnell for libel, and the former's friends are trying to dissuade him from such a course.

RELEASED.

Constantinople, Sept. 27—The Porte has ordered the release of the Greeks arrested in connection with the sponge dispute and has instructed the governor of the island to cease annoying the Greeks. It is reported that the Greek government is not satisfied with the orders and demands further reparation.

EARTHQUAKE IN PERSIA.

Athens, Sept. 27—A violent shock of earthquake has occurred along the coast of the Gulf of Persia. The extent of the damage inflicted is as yet unknown.

THE LATE EMPEROR'S DIARY.

London, Sept. 26—The *Daily News'* Berlin correspondent says Prince Bismarck has obtained consent of the Kaiser to his causing the publication of an article rectifying the errors in the published version of extracts from the Diary of the late Emperor Frederick.

REDMOND'S CASE.

London, Sept. 27—The legality of the sentence of five weeks imprisonment imposed upon John Redmond yesterday will be one of the first questions discussed by parliament at the autumn session.

WRECKED.

Los Angeles, Sept. 27—The British ship Respigadera, coal laden from Newcastle, N. S. W., which went ashore in San Pedro harbor yesterday afternoon, is a total loss. She was valued at $70,000. Her cargo was valued at $25,000.

A HARVEST FESTIVAL.

Berlin, Sept. 27—On Saturday Prince Bismarck addressed the people at a harvest festival at Schonau, felicitating them on the comparatively good harvest after the bad winter and rainy summer. He referred to the accession of William the Third as follows: "Gloomy days have given away to bright sunshine. We can look with pride upon the present Emperor. He is a great soldier and he attacked. But he bites his subjects too much not to do his utmost to preserve peace. Those among you who were with me in France in '70, know what a harvest home can be when an enemy is at hand. There is little life then for the tiller of the soil. Let us, therefore, to-day think of our Emperor and give him a thundering good "hoch unser Kaiser lube hoch." The toast was drunk by all.

BUTCHER AND BOLT.

London, Sept. 27—The *Pall Mall Gazette*, commenting on the operations against the Thibetans by Col. Gesbl, says that the killing of 400 Thibetans by a force of English troops, which sustained a loss of nine wounded in the encounter, suggests wanton butchery by no means justified by any circumstances leading to the affair which have been permitted to become public. Referring to England's last campaign in Egypt, the *Gazette* says the prevailing taunt at that time was that English soldiers butchered their enemies and ran away. Now it would seem that their policy is "slaughter and stay," instead of "butcher and bolt."

UNIONIST CONFERENCE.

London, Sept. 27—At the Unionist conference to-day at Nottingham, Henry Kimble, Unionist member of parliament for Wandsworth, who was present as a delegate for London, started the conference by moving a resolution of confidence in Gladstone on the ground that the ex-premier had conceded to the objection raised by Unionists to his Home Rule scheme. The introduction of the motion created a howl of dissent which was followed by a few cheers but the chairman promptly suppressed the disorder by ruling the motion out of order. Kimble protested against the ruling and emphasized his protest by withdrawing from the conference. Quite a large number of Gladstonians managed to gain admission to the evening session, and greatly enlivened the proceedings by their frequent manifestations of dissent. The feature of the evening session was a speech by the widow of the late Postmaster General Fawcett, who vehemently denounced the Irish as lacking in industry, sobriety and veracity. The sentiments expressed by the lady were enthusiastically endorsed by the meeting.

OPIUM SMUGGLING.

Hon. J. C. Haines, of Seattle Arrested—Gardner Case.

Seattle, Sept. 28—At 10:30 this morning, Hon. J. C. Haines, a well-known lawyer, was arrested by the U. S. Marshal on the authority of a warrant issued in Buffalo, on a charge of conspiracy in smuggling opium. This arrest, which is not explained, unquestionably grows out of Mr. Haines connection as defending attorney with Gardner and others now under arrest in New York State, charged with smuggling.

Painful Accident.

A painful accident befel Mr. J. J. Fisher at Goldstream yesterday. He had gone out to hunt with Mr. Merryfield of the Telegraph Hotel and was lifting a loaded rifle out of the wagon, when the weapon went off, the bullet passing through the fleshy part of the hand and carrying it away. Mr. Merryfield hastened to town, fearing that the injured man would bleed to death, but although he lost a great deal of blood it was not to a dangerous extent. Dr. Jones dressed the wound and it is doing well.

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CAPITAL AND LABOR.

Of late our city pulpits have been bringing before their hearers the the horrors of what is called the "sweating system," as carried on in England in reference to labor, and which at present forms a subject of enquiry for a parliamentary commission. On this side of the world we have our "Knights of Labor," who are advocating the rights and just claims of labor on capital. The Trades Union Congress of Great Britain have just concluded its twenty-first congress. This being a non-political body, we may safely trust its opinions as to the two great parties and the other elements which go to form the political world at home. We have President SHAFFO, in his address, cautioning the working men against placing any trust or confidence in any political party, none of whom, he says, "are free from the crying sin of capitalism or landlordism, or unjust monopoly." Pointing out that the British workingman has the future in his own hands, he asserts, and with a show of truth, that they can make and unmake political parties. He described the cause of labor, as the cause of humanity and the cause of the oppressed. He called for an effort to elevate all work, and to set free all suffering from social bondage. Labor, we are told, "will not tolerate the waste of millions spent in useless war, nor yet permit a railway system constructed to secure large dividends and nothing else." The landlord, and the rich man, clothed in purple and fine linen, come in for their place among the offenders of the age. Here in this new country, scarcely yet on the diet roll of early childhood, we have sufficient examples of the baneful effects of the system so vigorously denounced. We have our monopolists in railway and coal, in land, in the legislative halls of the country. The rich man "clothed in purple and fine linen," dwelling in the highest luxury, while exacting the last cent from the pocket of the workingman, to maintain him in his luxury, idleness and power. In Britain the workingman has, as he is told, the future in his own hands; there the election is pure, it must be so, the law says so and it must be obeyed. Here we have the contrary. The Government retain power in their hands by the distribution of the public revenue, which they use to suit their own vile ends. Their creatures are returned as representatives of the people, being instead, mere political atoms which move, exist and have their being at the will of the men who dispense their patronage.

It behooves our workingmen, our mechanics, and all who depend for their living on the sweat of their brow, to purge our legislative halls from the control of capitalism, landlordism and the unjust monopoly which retards our advancement in wealth and prosperity, morality and christianity.

THE AUDIT.

The Colonist article this morning upon Mayor GRANT and the audit is in keeping with the policy of that journal towards opponents. Mr. HIGGINS never forgives excepting when he forgets, and he still has a vivid recollection of the last Mayoralty election. Mayor GRANT, as ex-Coun. HIGGINS (the writer in the Colonist) knows from experience, is able to take care of himself, and does not require a newspaper advocate. Of course, it is to be expected that our contemporary will make all the capital possible out of the alleged shortages in the municipal accounts, and will endeavor to besmirch every person who does not at once agree with it or who may wish to see justice done alike to the city and the city officials.

Our contemporary devotes a column to the "conduct" of Mayor GRANT at the meeting of the council on Wednesday night. The position of the Mayor, as we understand it, was simply this: The auditors having presented a "finding," without submitting the facts, or evidence, which enabled them to come to their decision, the Mayor requested that along with the "verdict of the jury" the proofs should go to the court of final resort, which in this case is the people. He thought, and every fair-minded man will, we think, agree with him, that in the absence of any statement from the accused, it was but just and proper that the data by which the auditors arrived at their conclusions should be given to the public at the same time that the report was made public. That was all Mayor GRANT contended for. When a majority of the council decided that this measure of justice could not be accorded to the officials whose character and honor were impugned, the Mayor handed the report to the clerk and it was read in council.

In all fairness to the treasurer and the other officials, there ought to be a suspension of judgment until their side of the story is told. It is useless to deny that the auditors, who are all men of character, have made out a case which must be investigated further. If they have not shown fraud they have disclosed an unsatisfactory condition of things, which calls for rectification. They have called attention to a system that is not creditable to a city that boasts so many sharp business men—a system that has grown up under the direct supervision of Mayors and Councillors chosen for their special qualifications and business experience. If there has been wrong-doing, let the wrong-doers be punished; but, in the name of common decency, let us do everything in order.

THE STANDARD AND THE CHINESE.

With a single eye, apparently, to renting certain properties in Chinatown, the Standard has of late been publishing articles in which it openly advocates the Chinaman. It points to him as an exemplary citizen, orderly, respectable and fairly cleanly and from an economic standpoint it does not really know how we could get along without him. A copy of the paper with one of these remarkable productions has been sent to the Winnipeg Call, which, having in view the fact that the United States and Australia are bolting and barring their doors against the Mongolian, and not knowing anything about the connections between the "new company" which bought out the Standard and the Chinese population, it has naturally been at loss to know what to make of them. The Call says "it is generally urged against the Chinese that they are filthy and vicious," and that "they take away large sums of money from the country," and it therefore concludes that the view taken the Standard is "much more favorable than that which is generally entertained." It moreover observes that the grounds upon which it endorses the Chinese are "somewhat novel and it is very doubtful whether many of the white people of Victoria or San Francisco would endorse them." It is a new thing for the press of the east to have to educate us on the evils of the Chinese. When a few years ago the white workingmen sought for restrictions on the Asiatic in this province, the difficulty was to get the people of the east educated up to the necessity of such legislation. It appears now, however, that they are even more anti-Chinese than we are, and would look upon the removal of the Chinese restrictions as a calamity to the country in general. The results, of the exclusion of the Chinese from the Nanaimo and Wellington coal mines, have been enough to convince any one of the advantages of white labor. No sooner are the Chinamen gone and the wages earned by them turned into the hands of white laborers than a general impetus is given to business. Residences rise in the suburbs of the mining city; business houses rush up in the centre and a new producing and consuming population is at once added to the community. The Standard, however, is not interested in these scenes of thrift and prosperity. The "new company" has possessions in Chinatown which are not enhanced by a growing white population.

INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPERS.

The Montreal Star, one of the best and decidedly one of the most popular papers in the Dominion, very properly places independence before everything else. In a late issue the following announcement is made: "As previously announced the managing editor of the Star will not "accept either for himself or members of the staff free admission "(press) tickets to places of amusement or any public assembly, the "publishers having decided that in "the interest of the public as well as "the paper this course is essential to "absolute independence. For all "amusements, etc., tickets will be "purchased for the use of the Starr "reporters, and no other will be permitted to be used. The editor will "be glad to receive the usual intimation of coming events unaccompanied by press tickets." The course taken by the Star is one already adopted by a few leading papers and one which will eventually be forced on them all. When people, especially the heads of rich and powerful corporations, imagine that in giving a newspaper a little $15 a month advertisement they are purchasing a whole plant, including editors and reporters, it is time to teach them the difference. Of course no one tries to work that kind of game with newspapers but people who are afraid of them, and when anyone is afraid it is pretty safe to conclude that there is some reason for it. He who does right fears no man. The proposal to refuse press tickets to all places of amusement and public assemblies will be a good thing for the paper and the public. The paper will not feel that it is under any obligations to the management, and will criticise freely where criticism is necessary. The new movement is one which promises every advantage to the newspapers and to the public, but death to all kinds of frauds and cheap money making schemes.

STORM BREWING.

By latest advices we learn that there are signs of disruption in the ranks of the Irish Home-Rule party. This comes at rather a critical turning point in the endeavors of the Irish leaders to redress, by constitutional means, the grievances of their country. Having adhered to the policy of O'CONNELL and Conciliation Hall, forsaking for a time, if not altogether, the rash policy of the "Young Ireland" party of '48, the Irish Nationalists succeeded in enlisting the sympathy of British democracy on the side of their cause. The brutal midnight murders, the outrages of past years very nearly alienated that sympathy, which came near being severed altogether by the Times revelations under the head of "Parnellism and Crime." Mr. DAVITT, a few days ago, swerved from the policy of conciliation and constitutional agitation. The approaching commission of enquiry into the charges preferred against the party by the Times, may reveal facts which will not be very acceptable to either individuals or to the party as a whole. We have Mr. DILLON accused by Mr. PARNELL of collusion with the Times in the late trial, and Mr. DANITT treating Mr. HEALY with contemptuous language, which produced a scathing article from the pen of the irate TIMOTHY in the columns of the Dublin Freeman's Journal. Irish history of the past has shown that dissentions, jealousy, and sometimes treachery, have been occasional features of former patriotic efforts. A house divided against itself cannot stand.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

D. W. Higgins is again contributing to the editorial columns of the Colonist. His "style" gives him away every time he takes a pen in hand.

The Winnipeg Commercial says: There is some talk of bonusing a new hotel at Victoria. We would advise to make haste slowly in this matter. Just think of bonusing a hotel!

The Colonist has a long article on the prices of things, which includes coal at $10 per ton. It is almost needless to say that our contemporary does not throw any light upon the question, and fails to find a remedy for the grievance.

A Ottawa dispatch says the Dominion Government will refuse to aid the Hudson Bay Railroad enterprise. They never have taken much stock in it and the action of the Manitoba Government gives them an excuse for their action.

A public meeting held at St. Laurent, Man., condemned the Manitoba Government for the course taken relative to the Hudson Bay Railroad. The Winnipeg Free Press, the organ of the opposition to Norquay, and the strongest force in Manitoba politics, has completely broken with the Greenway Government, and in an unusually caustic article charges its former friends with prevarication, falsehood, deceit and corruption. Manitoba politics are not easily understood by outsiders; one has to be within the "ring" to have a proper conception of the principles by which politicians there are guided. Perhaps the trouble with Mr. Luxton is that he is not in the inner circle.

Our unselfish and purely disinterested contemporary fears that there is a great deal of malice in the publication in the TIMES of the market quotations for coal. If we state only what is true, and in the public interest, wherein lies the malice? Our morning contemporary is a toady, and cannot distinguish between malicious treatment of an opponent and a truthful presentation of facts. But when Mr. Dunsmuir owns the coal mines and has a "claim" upon the morning and evening organs of the Government of which he is a member, it is not surprising that coal should be $10 per ton or that the organs should maintain that it was a fair and honest price to pay for a ton of the best Wellington.

Our Toronto correspondent calls attention to the lack of foresight on the part of our local government in not taking advantage of the great industrial fair in that city to show to the people of the east what this province can produce. To Mayor Oppenheimer, of Vancouver, a city which three years ago was in the minds only of its far-seeing projectors—is due the credit of the display—a fairly creditable one in many respects—which was made. The government squander money for emigration purposes, by publishing and spreading abroad unreliable pamphlets treating in a slip-shod way of the resources of the country and enlarging upon the advantages of settlement in this "beautiful land of the west," but it had not the practical sommon sense to see that a display of our agricultural and mineral products at the center of Canadian wealth and intelligence, would do more in an hour for the province than a year's Begging in London by an army of agents backed by a ship load of literature. But why should the government go to any expense in bringing settlers into the country? Is not John Herbert Turner still a member of the administration, and is it not true that his only claim to fame—or to notoriety—lies in his *invitation* to the Acadians of Mellakahtla to emigrate to the United States. But we forget, Turner was whitewashed last session!

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CHAPTER XV.

THE SILK COLONY.

So at last, as always, though constantly working and thinking for others, calmness of soul came to Shirley.

Was her heart broken? Well, there was much left in life still.

It was her hard fate to be tied in this one little village. Linwood it was to be, for good or ill. She recognized her fate and made the best of it. At length she became more warmly interested than she could have believed in things about her.

The village improvement scheme was only a part of her labors. From long habit of thought her mind still followed the old ideals of her unwritten poem. She found no calm, no time yet to begin the poem. It must be put off still again. But meantime, following the one golden thread of thought, she unconsciously turned to women.

During the fever Shirley had found among the villagers a poverty and an unhappiness that surprised her. Persons who have the sense of respectability, however small, instinctively put the best foot forward. Behind many a neat street garb a hungry stomach sits and howls in secret.

The specter of sickness attacked the households and shook out the hidden specters in plain sight. Shirley perceived constantly a barrenness of the commonest small comforts, a lack even of articles of food that was painful to her. It was the case alike among the overworked farm wives and the idle, gadding village wives. Poverty she herself knew, she thought. But it was that independent poverty which has fertility of resource, the poverty which whets the edge of struggle and aspiration. From this kind of poverty everything that is worth having in the world has come.

But these women! The larger part of the small things which Shirley thought a civilized human being regarded as necessities of life were to them unknown luxuries. In such a hard, stupid poverty as this, what hope?

Could nothing be done to help them? The question haunted Shirley. Could they not somehow be put in the way of helping themselves? Verily there was little that they might even hope for. An untrained grown woman in a village can do nothing to get money. Although there was among them lack of so many of the small things that make life desirable, yes, absolute want now and then, these women had no lack of time on their hands. It was the habit of many of them, women and girls, to sit and gaze idly out the window, hour after hour. A little spasmodic, intermittent effort finished the small work they were obliged to do. For the rest, nothing. They had no knowledge of anything better and no incentive to action. That was all there was in life for them. They had even no appreciation that it was a sin to waste time so. Their idleness and poverty brought with it a poverty of soul that was most hopeless of all.

It was at this period that public attention was first being generally called to the beautiful silk weaving industry in this country. Shirley herself had visited the mills, and been delighted as anybody must be with the exquisite fabrics wrought there.

The workmen showed her the filmy, shining threads from which the splendid fabrics were made. These had all to be brought over seas, they told her. It was certain the mulberry tree could be reared here at home, and the silk cocoons produced. The production of raw silk was an industry scarcely less beautiful than that of weaving the threads, and remunerative too. It was not done in America simply because it was not done.

One day, thinking of the idle, yet poverty stricken women she knew, Shirley happened to recall what she had heard in the silk mills. She put the two together.

Once more, processes are dull to outsiders. Therefore again we skip them. There is enough dullness in this world, Lord knows! even after we get rid of all we can.

No, we will have only results, for the present. The women's silk colony of Linwood—behold—is it not known to every intelligent person in the land? An intelligent person is one who reads newspapers.

Shirley obtained all the information possible. She planted her mulberry shoots, she got her cocoons and learned how to take care of them. Travelers on the now much frequented road past the stone house to the village turned to watch again the noble figure and bent head of the woman who was so intently busy in the grounds. Out there among her silk trees she might well have been taken for the reincarnation of the splendid empress who first introduced silk culture among her grateful people and thence gave it to the world.

Silk culture would have prospered in America more than 200 years ago, only that tobacco rooted it out. It did not do so in Linwood. Shirley experimented with her mulberries and silk worms till she was successful. She taught the secret to the neighbor women. The new and graceful employment spread among them. At length the colony produced annually no inconsiderable quantity of raw silk of an admirable quality.

The women and children did the work. It brought hundreds of dollars to the poor, stingy little neighborhood. Weed patches became mulberry gardens. In truth, there was by and by not a weed left in that region. Linwood became prosperous, handsome and ambitious. Articles of taste, beauty and comfort were added yearly to the humble homes. The hard, poverty stricken lives of the women blossomed out till they became new creatures under the magic of prosperity. They learned how admirable a thing it is for a human being to earn his own money and spend it as he pleases. They tasted the sweets of independence.

The village women sloughed off the idleness of their wasted lives. In the round of healthy, happy, paid work they forgot the idle talkee-talkee of other years. They outgrew the spite, the narrow feminine jealousies. They could no longer spend time from money getting to indulge in these peculiar little amusements.

There was another good result.

The town became a general center of interest. Foreigners visiting the country and tourists from half over the continent came there to see the women's silk colony. Whether they looked at the handsome, tree embowered village itself, with its clean, smooth streets and tasteful homes, the novel, successful industry that had contributed so greatly to its prosperity, or at the well fed, well dressed girls and children—everything they saw was interesting and pleasing. There came so many that a neat and roomy hotel had to be built to accommodate them. It was kept by our friend Mis' Simpkins. The march of improvement had trodden under foot the show window with the box of blacking and two clothes pins.

The numerous visitors to the silk colony became a source of revenue to the village. It was suddenly discovered, too, by and by, that Linwood had exceptional advantages as a summer resort.

Nor yet was this all. With the advent of good times came better food, gentler ways, and more happiness to Linwood homes. Husbands and sons who had been wont to spend their hours and their earnings too much away from home, waked up gradually to find home had grown attractive before they were aware of it. There was music, there were books and games in their own houses of evenings. They also found pretty maidens and neat, cheerful matrons there. They found themselves exceedingly astonished to discover a remarkable fact—there was more fun at home than anywhere else.

The impulse of the ordinary woman who earns money, is to use it first to adorn her person, next her home. Neither is this a wicked impulse. It is not even an unwholesome one.

Linwood women were ordinary. They were exceedingly ordinary. Therefore they decorated first themselves, then their homes. With the stimulus that money of their own, and communication with minds outside of their own gave them, they, too, waked up to some important facts. They learned how far behind the day they were in their social ways, their housekeeping. They took to improved methods. There had been bitter quarreling and heartburning, family rows, in short, in many a Linwood household before, because of the undoubted preference of the masculine half of the house for the grocery and rum shop.

Linwood mothers and daughters made now the astounding discovery that wives and children who are neat, handsome and merry—delicate food, pretty healthful homes, music and jolly yet harmless home amusement, have more attraction for men than even a rum shop. Wives and daughters have the inside track all the time with the average masculine animal, if they only had sense enough to keep it.

Linwood had heard temperance lectures since the time the noble red man gave up and surrendered to the white man. Yet here, right under their noses, was a temperance lecture worth more than all the rest. How odd they had never thought of it before!

So Linwood was transformed, wholly and forever.

It was in very truth Shirley who did all. It was over again what George Morrison had read to her from the enchanted life of Joan of Arc:

"Daughter of God, all things were under her."

Was it not so?

To accomplish worthy aims, three things are necessary: Unselfishness, singleness of purpose and eternal enthusiasm.

Shirley gave up her village school at length. She gave it into the hands of one of her best pupils. So from the master to Shirley, from Shirley to the favorite pupil, the school was handed down and kept running on worthily in the wise old ways.

Shirley had other work that was more remunerative, and that was forced on her always as the first consideration. With all she had on her hands, it was her steady regret that she found no time to do her best at anything. Night never closed on her and found her free from a care for the next day. She never had one minute to rest.

She had now a modest yet solid distinction as a writer. The ideals in literature that she had set before her as peerless statues when she was 16, were locked away from human sight. Out of the fullness of the practical knowledge she had gained in her years of toil and trial, she wrote now. It was exactly this feature that made her work of especial value for everyday reading. People are glad to read that which helps them practically.

But she wrote no more poetry.

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Linwood had indeed changed since we knew it first. Now it had a railroad. Trains daily went thundering past the old stone house, till its very walls shook. Little regard have iron and steam for beauty in nature. They laugh to scorn sentimental memories. The old mill was pulled down by the railway company. The iron tracks followed the bed of the picturesque mill race. They cut through the heart of the clump of graceful swaying willows, the very willows under which Shirley had sat while the master read to her the marvelous story of Joan of Arc.

Even so the iron had cut through the heart of Shirley's romance. Even so, God help us! the iron pierces the soul of us all, every one.

And one fine morning Shirley waked and remembered she was 30 years old.

The brothers and sisters were nearly all men and women now. Alice, the youngest, was 14. Harry was 17. These two were especially near to Shirley. They had hung about her neck in their helpless babyhood. Fatherless, worse than motherless, they had only this tall, strong sister to cling to.

During these years so many minor incidents had happened in the Carstone family that it has not been possible to keep up with them all. It was well Shirley's worldly prospects had brightened. As the children grew older the need of money to educate them, to start them in life, increased constantly. Shirley worked and planned without ceasing to meet the demand. It gave her steady pride and pleasure that she was able to do so.

The children followed each his natural bent, no two of them alike. Percy, who had been so fond of studying the ways of birds and insects, developed into a naturalist. He was a slender, handsome youth, devoted to his studies with enthusiasm.

Pet, otherwise Master Francis Peyton, surprised the family by saying deliberately one day:

"Shirley, I want to go to West Point. I have made up my mind to it."

His mother looked at him in amazement.

"Great guns! Pet," said Percy, "you're foolin'. You mind when you used to hold your hands over your ears and run and hide your head in the pillows when father was teaching Tom to shoot at a mark? If you went into the army, somebody might fire off a shooting cracker close to your ear on a Fourth of July—what'd you do then?"

"I've made up my mind I want to go to West Point," was all the answer Pet made.

Shirley was the magician who did everything for everybody in the Carstone family. Her brother got his wish. Children develop in' unexpected ways, sometimes. Pet, the timid, the delicate "girl boy" of the Carstones, became the soldier. A gallant soldier he made, too. Strangely enough, he was daring to recklessness. Of all the four sons he was the one who in manhood most resembled their brave, dashing father.

With Tom and Brownie Shirley had most trouble. Brownie was a dancing, springing, merry little cricket of a creature, as full of life as a squirrel, as mischievous, too. She was a very pretty girl, with laughing brown eyes, crisply curling black hair, clear, ivory tinted skin, nose faintly "tip-tilted," and lips like a scarlet cherry. She was much admired and sought after.

Given her own way in all things, and Miss Brownie at 18 was the most charming young lady in the world. But given not her own way, she could make the household hum to a degree beyond the supposed capacity of gentle young ladydom.

There was inborn in poor Brownie a passionate fondness for things beautiful and artistic. Had her father lived her tastes would have been gratified, and Brownie would have been happy. As it was, she chafed with bitter impatience against the Carstone poverty. She longed to wear bright jewels and pretty dresses, to get away from Linwood, the mean and the narrow. And being not of the heroic turn, she only stayed there and fretted, instead of trying to work out her wishes for herself.

As Linwood became larger, and wealthy visitors and residents were attracted thither, and Brownie mingled with them, the desire to see the gay world grew on her till she was not an agreeable young lady to live with. Her constant song, daily and nightly, was:

"I wish we could have things like other people."

Her brother Tom made acquaintances that were not good for him. In those soft, green years this was the besetting sin of the honest, blundering fellow. He was perpetually getting into scrapes, and Shirley was perpetually helping him out. When Tom was 22, old enough to have some sense, there came to Linwood a man of the musical name of Wabbnobbs. He had a mean little face and dressed expensively. He had money and spent it lavishly.

Wabbnobbs had been at the hotel some days when one afternoon there passed by Tom Carstone with his beautiful sisters. From that day the stranger sought the acquaintance of Tom. He cultivated him assiduously.

He called at the stone house to take Tom riding. He displayed flashing diamonds, fast horses and elaborate toilets. He talked horse so learnedly that the innocent youth looked up to him as to a demigod.

Mr. Wabbnobbs talked vaguely but magnificently of the west and western mines, till Tom too began to sigh to have things like other people. He was dazzled with the gorgeousness of his new friend. He was aflame with a fever to go west and make his fortune in the mines. The acquaintance progressed rapidly to intimacy, till one day Harry said:

"He's a beauty, no mistake, that new beau of yours, isn't he, Brownie?"

"Who is it now?" asked Shirley.

"Don't you know? It's that new fellow that Tom goes bumming and chumming with. That Mr. Wabbnobbs."

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Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 28th June, 1888. je28 3m

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Victoria, 19th June, 1888. j19-13

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

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Land Registry Office, Victoria, 16th August, 1888. aug16 2m

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For steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—J N Portman, W McColl, J Fowler, wife and son, T Waterman; Mrs Lange, J Fleming, O Wilson, Mrs Brennan, daughter and sons, J Bonman, T Alden, E G Tilton, J T Rockford, Miss B Seymour, G H Shaw and wife, J Carter, J Becker, S Kerr, W H McLaren, W B Morrell, Mrs Hazelow, J Hunie, Chas Lee, J Parr, Miss Imbrigs, Capt Helge, C Johnson, C Kushney, W Watson, R Westwater, Miss M Perkins, D J Sweeney, J S Table, W H Dempster and wife, A Pray, A Braden, C W Frush, wife and daughter, R B Keane, R Moon, J W Tully, J Draper, J McCloud, A Sunseet, G Shepherd, Rev A J Van Norel, S J Spson, W Harrison, W Miller, J Hollers, J Paulson, A Paulson.

By the steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—Miss Neil, C Golden, Mrs Golden, F Evans, H H McGinnis, J Carmichael, H Mansell, N B Hutcheson, H Chaffey, Major General W Power, N Shaver, G Anderson, C Nash, B Hartman, L Hunter, Mrs G Simpson, Master Simpson, E Ross, A James, A Brown, G Kotlbak, R Cormelean, J Wilson, Mr and Mrs Meyer, E Englehardt, C Fletcher, M Delaghin, E Harper, Jno Gray, J Cathcart, J W Morrison, Mrs Lamont, Miss Lamont, G L Simpson, Mrs Rothwell, A Mercy, Miss Ross, J Loose, Miss Bowman, Mrs Bowman, A Dolighan, C Cowan, L Silverstein, Master Lamont, Miss Agnesis, G Williams, W Angus, G Duslaren, R Wood, J Wood, Mr and Mrs Carbnil, Mr and Mrs Savage, Miss Dougherty, J Stevens, D Escalet, L A Murphy, Aug Bowman, W S Williams, Miss Hartman, W Bridge, J L Walkam, Mrs Cornnecan, J L Walkham.

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Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—S J Pitts, J E A Charlton, Jno Waller, Louis Harkes, W Heathorn, H Madsell, E B Marvin, Walter Ross, S Leiser, Welch, Rithet & Co.

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CITY AND PROVINCE.

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POLICE COURT.

(Before City Police Magistrate Richards, Q. C.)

Whiskey Susan, a Siwash lady of well known repute about town, was up for having, too much whiskey in more than name. Susan acknowledged the soft impeachment and was fined $30 or a month. She preferred the month.

John Stewart was charged with assault with attempt to rob Thos. Dape on Wharf street yesterday morning, between 4 and 5 o'clock. Thomas tried to cut Stewart's band with a knife in order to make him relinquish hold of his money. There were three men in the attack on Stewart. Remanded, awaiting further developments.

James Bay bridge still continues to be a source of revenue to the city. Messrs G. Powell and F. Johnson will appear tomorrow to show cause why they won't contribute $5 each towards the maintenance of that beautiful structure.

Sale of Coal Lands.

Dr. Hamilton Griffin reports that he has sold his bonded coal lands for $500,000 to a company of European capitalists representing many millions. The ex-editor appears to get there.

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Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

Church Notice.

Rev. D. Gamble will fill Rev. Mr. McRea's preaching appointments at Craigflower and Esquimalt, on Sunday next.

Personal.

Miss Shearer, formerly of London, Ont., will please call on or address PENNOCK & CLAYTON, jewellers, Victoria, B. C.

Incoming Passengers.

San Francisco, Sept. 28—The following passengers sailed by the steamer Mexico to-day: Mrs G Wise, T C Harris, L H Eddin, Mrs Lukey, W Hastie, H Norton, J C Bunster.

C. P. R. Earnings.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's earnings for the week ending September 14th were $266,000; for the same week last year, $244,000. This does not include earnings on the Southeastern and Intercolonial railways.

A Successful Fair.

The great fair which has just closed at Toronto was by large odds the most successful in the history of the association. During two weeks the attendance aggregated a quarter of a million—over thirty thousand more than last year. The gate receipts amounted to $59,604.

New Premises.

E. G. Prior & Co. have removed to their magnificent new premises on Government street, corner of Johnson. The building is one of the finest in the city for large mercantile purposes, and the enterprising firm is to be congratulated upon its erection and occupation.

Lecture.

The Calvary Baptist church are making arrangements to have a lecture by their pastor, Rev. W. L. Rugg, about the middle of October. Mr. Rugg has had considerable experience in the lecture field, having lectured several seasons in Oregon for the Supt. of Public Instruction there.

Obituary.

J. H. McInnes, a brother of Dr. McInnes and Senator McInnes, of New Westminster, died at the Royal Columbia Hospital about midnight Wednesday. The deceased was a native of Prince Edward Island and was about 68 years of age. He took a prominent part in religious movements.

An Invitation

Is extended to all our customers to call and inspect our latest fall importation of woolens from European markets. Having secured at great expense the services of Mr. Wm. Sheeir, late of Boston, Mass., a competent mechanic, to act as foreman for us we are now prepared to turn out work second to none on the North Pacific Coast. A. Gange & Son, Artist Tailors, 42 Yates street. *2w

Damages Recovered.

In the case of T. P. Spitts vs. the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company, tried before Justice Jones on Friday last, a verdict was rendered in favor of the plaintiff for $64.50 and costs. The action was brought to recover $200 damages for alleged failure of the servants of the company to awaken the plaintiff on the arrival of the steamer Alaskan at Port Townsend as agreed. Spitts was on his way to Victoria and was carried back from Port Townsend by the steamer. The man asked to be awakened to change steamers but was allowed to sleep until the steamer left for Seattle.

Excursions to the Coast.

The C. P. R. is arranging for a series of excursions from Winnipeg and all points on the main line to Vancouver and Victoria, to take place on the 9th, 16th and 23rd of October, respectively. The fare will be $40 for the round trip, and excursionists will travel by the regular trains. This is an exceedingly low rate, and doubtless a large number of Manitoba and Northwest people will take advantage of the opportunity thus afforded to take a trip over the mountains and visit places of interest on the coast at a comparatively trifling cost. A trip over the mountains is an enjoyable experience never to be forgotten.—Winnipeg *Call.*

A Tory Retreat.

The Tories of North Lanark, (Ont.,) have met in convention and after mature deliberation have determined not to oppose Mr. W. C. Caldwell, the reform candidate for the Ontario Legislature. This is all the more remarkable, and all the stronger tribute to the Liberal administration from the fact that the constituency is not a safe Liberal riding, a Tory having once beaten Mr. Caldwell for the same position. Toryism is at a discount in all the provinces, and even in British Columbia the hydra-headed monster is beginning to look around for a hole to crawl into when the day of reckoning comes. Mr. Caldwell is a young politician of marked ability, and his name has of late been mentioned as a possible Cabinet Minister in his native province.

Prof. Norris' Canine Paradox.

This entertainment, which will be produced at the Victoria Theatre to-night, promises to be the finest ever seen in this part of the country. He comes highly recommended from the east, and wherever he has appeared on the coast his trained dogs are pronounced by the press and public to be the finest exhibition of the kind that has ever been seen in this part of the country. The manner in which he controls his dogs on the streets is simply wonderful, and it is astonishing to see how they obey him. He certainly has got the happiest, smartest and best trained dogs that ever yelped their pleasure in the streets or watched their master for a sign or word of command. Every man, woman or child who is a lover of trained animals should go and see Prof. C. Norris and his wonderful troupe of trained dogs at the Victoria Theatre, Friday and Saturday, September 28th and 29th. Grand matinee at 2.30 on Saturday afternoon. Just think of it! Twenty-five educated dogs that give a two hour show, the same as people, except that they cannot talk. Don't miss it. Prices of admission: Children 25 cents, adults 50 cents, reserved seats 75 cents. On sale at Waitt's book store.

—Oysters and Turtles at Poodle Dog.

SUSPENDED.

City Treasurer Russell and City Clerk Robinson Locked Out.

At a meeting of the Finance Committee this morning, the books and vouchers in the hands of the auditors, and upon which they based their report to the city council, (finding shortages in the cash of the city officials,) were carefully inspected by the members, viz., Aldermen Penwill, Harris and Vigelius. An examination of the proofs convinced the committee that it was the duty of the Council to suspend the accused, pending further investigation. It was agreed that a meeting of the Council should be convened for the purpose of considering the question of suspending Messrs. Russell and Robinson.

Accordingly at 1 p. m. a full meeting of the council (the Mayor, who is in Vancouver, only being absent) took place in Theodore Davies' office. After discussion, it was moved by Ald. Kelly and seconded by Ald. Wilson, that City Treasurer Russell and City Clerk Robinson be temporarily suspended from office, which was unanimously agreed to.

The councillors, accompanied by Mr. Theo. Davie, then proceeded to the City Hall, when Messrs. Russell and Robinson were notified of the decision of the council. The safes of the corporation and the offices were then locked up and given in charge of the Supt. of Police.

It was decided to hold a meeting of the Council to-night, and invite the attendance of Messrs. Russell and Robinson.

Mayor Grant has been telegraphed to and is expected to arrive to-night.

HANLAN-KEMP RACE.

Foot Ball Game To-Morrow, Interesting Baseball Notes.

Sydney, N. S. W., Sept. 27—The great single scull race between Peter Kemp, of Australia, and Edward Hanlan, of Canada, for $2500 aside and the championship of the world, took place took to-day in the presence of thousands of spectators. Kemp won.

FOOTBALL.

A game of football will be played at Beacon Hill to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock. This will be the last practice before the match with Nanaimo.

The match with the Nanaimo team next week promises to be very interesting. The members are said to be out regular for practice and are prepared to bet heavily that they will win. The Victoria boys think they can make it interesting at least and will try to beat them.

CRICKET.

A game of cricket between the Gentlemen of Ireland and the New York cricket team resulted in favor of the former. Score 354 to 350. Ireland had 9 wickets to spare.

GAME TO-MORROW.

The last game of the series which have been played during the past few weeks between the different junior clubs of this city will be played to-morrow afternoon at Beacon Hill between the James Bay's and Maple Leafs. This game will decide which is the best junior club in the city, and the winning club will take the handsome bat which was won by the Amities some time ago and which they offered for the best junior club.

BASEBALL.

The space for reading matter on seven pages of the Donald *Truth* of the 22nd inst., is devoted to the baseball tournament. The eighth and last also gives some attention to that important event. It is stated that the three importations from the east coast Donald $500 apiece, and that no other town in the Northwest could afford the luxury. Then *Truth* refers to the cup that would have cheered Donald had her team taken it and accounts for their failure to do that by having to play against ten men and the umpire.

The following items are taken from *Truth's* account, some of which will show that its baseball news is scarcely reliable:

Chesly, of the Donalds, is the best all round ball player in British Columbia for money, marbles or chalk.

The Amities are a real nice aggregation, "all sons of gentlemen," so the *Truth* was informed.

Both Edwards, the Victoria umpire, and Bennett, the Kamloops umpire, are troubled with swelled heads.

Manager Fee has a first rate amateur club and the club has a first rate amateur blowhard for a manager. It was the manager who discovered that Donald had professionals in her team. Schultz was an importation from Toronto where he is studying law.

Mr. Bauncrman's decision in the last game of lacrosse was plainly wrong and gave dissatisfaction.

Pitcher March has returned to Minneapolis, Minnesota.

The language of some of the New Westminster team is called in question. The whole affair is summed up as follows: As an exhibition of ball playing the tournament was not a success. March, of the Donalds, had he been held, could, without doubt, have shut out both the Victorians and the Westminsters. The three leading clubs fielded well at times and rottenly bad at others. They are all weak at the bat; as an instance, only three fair two-base hits were made during the tournament. The base running was very good. The games for the 150 mile-limit prize were mere school-boy ones. With two exceptions; the players were men, not brutes, on the ball field.

The Donald team has evidently two things to learn. First how to win; second how to take defeat gracefully.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well-Known Persons.

Capt W Power, of Moodyville, is in the city.

Senator Vidal left for the east this morning.

Wm Angus returned from Vancouver last night.

John Gray arrived from Big Bend and is at the Clarence.

Mrs D W Higgins and W R Higgins are in Vancouver.

James Wilson, Superintendent of Telegraph, is in the city.

The Marquis of Queensbery has gone east over the the C P R.

Capt Power, of Moodyville, is in the city and stopping at the Driard.

Supt Wilson, of the Dominion Telegraph Service, is at the Oriental.

W Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine, will arrive from the south to-night.

D W Gordon, M P, of Nanaimo, came down to-day and is at the Clarence.

W H Redmond and bride have returned to Vancouver from their wedding tour.

G Williams, of the Inland Revenue Department, returned last night from a visit to Harrison Springs.

Rev Father Van Nevel returned last night from California. He reports a pleasant time in the Bay State.

Vicious Dog.

As Mrs. and Miss McManus were passing along Fort St. yesterday afternoon a large dog rushed out and attacked them, tearing Mrs. McManus' dress and a large amount of fright to the ladies, as a consequence. Is there no law or regulation to restrain such vicious dogs from attacking pedestrians on the streets?

—Dr. Morrison has removed to Moody's Block, 76 Yates street, up stairs. 1m *

OUR TOWN MAJOR.

Christ Church Cathedral—Cowichan Show—Warmer Times.

Where were you men last evening that you didn't accompany your fair sisters, cousins and aunts to Christ Church Cathedral? Oh! the total depravity of the horrid male kind in Victoria. Five hundred women to sixty gentlemen! There's a comparison for you. The figures are correct for the Major counted them. A good ballet at the Victoria would have drawn a bigger crowd of men, don't you think?

The singing was splendid, and friend Kent wielded the baton with effect. A mixed choir is a hard machine to run, and Mr. Kent deserves credit for the success under the difficulty.

And the decorations? Are they not described in the Book of the Kingdom of THE TIMES. Well might the fair young workers in the good cause, feel proud of their handiwork, and admire it, as they did last night wondering what the Major would think of it. Well, ladies, he thinks highly of your taste, art and skill. The effect by gas light was something heavenly. The Major would wish for no better place on "the other side," with everything he loves, honors and respects, *i.e.*, lovely ladies, plenty of flowers—not forgetting the hops and grapes, and a preacher that lives up to what he advocates from the pulpit—the latter, the greatest rarity in these matter of fact days of ours.

The preacher told us that his way was the short cut to glory. The Major is very happy in consequence, now that he's on the way to the "beautiful city," no cross roads, but a good straight turnpike, with the tolls paid beforehand.

Of course there will be a very large attendance at the Philharmonic Hall this evening to give the St. Andrew's people a good send off in their laudable undertaking. But then public patronage may be thrown to the "dogs." Such is life.

Of course, there will be a great many of you going to patronize the Cowichan Agricultural Show. Do Turn out in your thousands and make the old Major's heart glad to see the peaceful art of husbandry patronized. You'll have time enough to throw to the "dogs" when you come back. These animals are all very well in their place, but when vicious brutes of dogs are allowed to attack ladies in the streets, tear the clothes off their back, and frighten the very life out of them, it is high time for the authorities to interfere. As it is, our streets are not safe. Where is the dog tax man? The middle of Fort street can compare favorably with Constantinople in respect to dogs.

Now, look you here, Mr. *Colonist* man, you just shut up about "the prices of things." Old King Coal should have heard the Rev. Mr. Clinton last evening on the "rich grinding down the poor" and the beauties of the "sweating system," as carried out in London. The Rev. gentleman had no need to go to London for an example; he could have found plenty here, with coal at $10 a ton. He didn't know of it of course, else you bet your bottom dollar old King Coal, notwithstanding floral decorations, would have got it straight out from the powerful shoulder of the good man. We must bear in mind that the Rev. Mr. Clinton comes from Vancouver, where coal is not $10 a ton and other prices in proportion. The C. P. R. see to that, you bet.

Times are getting excited and promise to be warm enough for the winter. What with honest John's debating club, and the city audit, we will have plenty of material for reflection, which will keep our blood at boiling heat, thinking of both civic and provincial "boodle." We haven't heard anything yet from the Senator for Esquimalt about that road "boodle" ventilated in THE TIMES the other day. Silence, they say, gives consent, and it truly applies to the Esquimalt road. The Senator and the home-made lawyer let things go to the "dogs," where it is to be surmised, judging from appearances, you are all going this evening. May your shadow never grow less is the wish of THE TOWN MAJOR.

THE "STANLEY" PARK.

Opening of the New Park at the City of Vancouver.

The opening of "Stanley" Park at Vancouver yesterday, forms a pleasing era in the short history of the terminal city. The weather was everything to be desired. A large influx of visitors took part in the proceedings; amongst others we observed His Worship Mayor Grant and Mrs. Grant, and Hon. John Robson and wife.

Mr. R. C. Ferguson was marshal of the procession. On nearing Observatory Point, Mayor Oppenheimer and the members of the corporation, with the visitors present, ascended the platform, when His Worship explained the circumstances attending the acquirement of the grounds and the naming of it by our late Governor-General, Lord Lansdowne, as the "Stanley Park." The Union Jack was then unfurled and the band played the National Anthem, the crowd cheered and "Stanley Park" was declared open. Messrs. W. N. Bole, M. P.P., Jas. Orr, M. P. P., D. Chisholm, M. P., Mayor Dickinson and Mayor Bate sent letters regretting their inability to attend, which were read, also some correspondence from Sir D. A. Smith and Lord Lansdowne. The Hon. John Robson, on being introduced by the Mayor, while complimenting His Worship for the part taken in the establishment of Vancouver, claimed a slight share for himself by way of a small bid for political capital.

Mayor Grant in a few appropriate remarks prophesied a great future for the Inlet city, which brought the interesting ceremony to a close.

Cheers were given for His Excellency Lord Stanley of Preston, Sir D. A. Smith, Mayors Oppenheimer and Grant, Hon. John Robson, and in response to a call by Mayor Grant, a rousing one for the fair sex.

Beyond a sparse display of bunting and the closing of business houses there was little or no attempt at decorations.

The ball which was given under the auspices of Mayor and Mrs Oppenheimer was a grand success.

CATCH OF SEALS.

Total Catch for the Season—A Falling off From Last Year.

The number of seal skins entered at the custom house by the sealing schooners already returned to port is 19,038—13,633 being from the North Pacific ocean and 5,495 from the coast. The catch of the Mountain Chief and the Favorite, about 800 and 1,500 respectively, have still to be entered, which will make the total 21,338. The total catch of 1887 was 33,800, so that there will be a deficiency this year of 12,562 as compared with last year's catch. The value at present is $6.00 per skin, which makes the total catch worth $128,028. The value in 1887 was also higher than now, the price then being about $7 per skin. The stormy weather on the fishing grounds is largely the cause of the reduced catch.

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New Goods.

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At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

I have been instructed by Mrs. McCarthy to sell by Auction, at her residence, 72 Fort street, near Douglas street, all her Household Furniture, etc.

A Splendid Rosloch Piano, nearly new.

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Will sail for the above mentioned ports on

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Suitable for

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The outfit of a Mechanical Engineer, and a lot of

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A BAY PONY WITH A MEXICAN SADDLE on and without a bridle. The animal is at Bowman's stables, Broad street. The owner can obtain the same by paying expenses.

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AGRICULTURAL

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The E. & N. Railway will issue return tickets at Single Fare from all points on the line to Duncan's Station on the day of the Show.

"C" BATTERY BAND

Will be in attendance.

Admission, - - 25 Cents.

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Agricultural Society's Exhibition.

Arrangements have been made with:
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To convey passengers, as well as freight intended for exhibition, to and from Victoria at half rates. These special rates will continue from Wednesday morning, 3rd, to Sunday, 7th.
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SCOTTISH CHARACTER ILLUSTRATED IN SONG AND STORY.

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Thursday, Friday & Saturday,

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Thursday will be devoted to judging of articles and animals on exhibition.
The doors will be open at 9 o'clock, a. m., on Friday and Saturday.
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Intending exhibitors are requested to notify the Secretary.
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